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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed July 24, 2008, for which a response is due by October 24, 2008 with no extension of time, Applicants submit the following amendments and response.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.